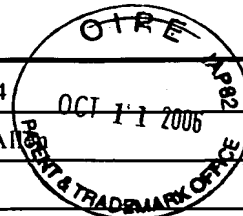
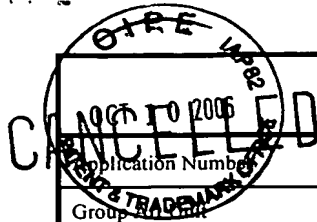


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**PATENT AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

(Provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 Apply)



Application Number	10/790,259	Filing Date	March 1, 2004
Group	2836	Examiner Name	Bauer, Scott A
Confirmation No.	9799	Attorney Docket No.	815_012
Inventor(s)	Tomoyuki FUJII, Yutaka MORI and Akiyoshi HATTORI		
Invention:	BONDING MEMBER AND ELECTROSTATIC CHUCK		

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as follows:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest Number Previously Paid	(5) No. of Extra Claims Present	(6) Rate (Large Entity)	(7) Additional Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	12	MINUS	20	0	\$ 50.00	\$00.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	0	\$ 200.00	\$00.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>						<b>\$00.00</b>

**EXTENSION OF TERM**

☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

☐ This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small entity fee are as follows:

- ☐ One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) ..... \$120.00
- ☐ Two Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) ..... \$450.00
- ☐ Three Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) ..... \$1,020.00

**TOTAL FEES DUE**

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is:

**FEE PAYMENT**

- ☒ No additional fee is required. ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_ is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge Deposit Account 50-1446 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_. Enclosed is a duplicate copy of this sheet.
- ☒ Please charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 50-1446.

**Submitted By:**

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Signature				Date	October 11, 2006

**EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE**

"Express Mail" label number EV 772123992 US

Date of Deposit: October 11, 2006

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR § 1.10, on the date indicated above and is addressed to M.S. Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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